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## EQUITY TO ORGANIZE

Speaking Campaign Will Be Inaugurated September 7th.

W. F. SHARP TO SPEAK.

Statement of Purposes and Aims of the Society Set Forth.

W. F. Sharp, State organizer of the American Society of Equity in Kentucky, will start a two weeks' campaign of organization in Christian county next Tuesday, Sept. 8.

The secretary, E. B. Robertson, sends us a copy of the constitution and by-laws and requests that the following declaration of purposes be published:

Objects of the A. S. of E.  
The first and great object is as follows:

1. To obtain profitable prices for all the products of the farm, garden, and orchard.

The other objects follow:

2. To have built and maintained granaries, elevators, warehouses and cold storage houses on the farms, in principal market cities, and in all localities where necessary, so that farm products may be held and controlled for an advantageous price.

3. To secure equitable rates of transportation.

4. To secure legislation in the interest of agriculture.

5. To open up new markets and enlarge old ones.

9. To secure new seeds, grain, fruit, vegetables, etc., from home, and from foreign countries, and distribute them with a view of improving present crops and giving a great

er diversity.

7. To report crops in this and in foreign countries, so that farmers may operate intelligently in planting and marketing.

8. To establish institutions of learning, so that farmers and their sons and daughters may be educated in scientific and intensive farming, the best methods of marketing and for the general advancement of agriculture.

9. To improve our highways.

10. To irrigate our land.

11. To prevent adulteration of food and marketing of same.

12. To promote social intercourse.

13. To settle disputes without recourse to law.

14. To promote farmers' insurance, life, fire and crop.

15. To establish similar societies in foreign countries.

From the resolutions adopted by the society Jan. 9, 1908, the following is taken:

Resolved, fourth, That we here declare that the principles of the American Society of Equity demand the enforcement of law against all citizens of the commonwealth of Kentucky and of the nation, whether the same be a trust or other aggregation of wealth, or the humblest farmer engaged in earning a living for his dependent family, and that we condemn, without reservation, all violations of law, whether it be by trust magnates or humble citizens, commonly denominated "night riders."

(Signed) W. E. Bourland, chairman; E. B. McEwen, M. F. Sharp, Henry E. Swain, James N. Banks.

The Appointments.

Mr. Sharp will address the people as follows:

Sept. 12, Highway, 7:30 p. m.

14, P. A. Thorne's store 3 p. m.

14, Judge Schoolhouse, 7:30 p. m.

15, Crofton, 3 p. m.

15, Lantrip's S. House, 7:30 p. m.

16, Franklin's Store, 3 p. m.

16, Hawkins, 7:30 p. m.

17, East Schoolhouse, 3 p. m.

18, Walker's S. House, 3 p. m.

18, West Seminary, 7:30 p. m.

Hopkinsville, 2 p. m.

Everybody is cordially invited to these meetings to hear this noted speaker.

C. H. HELSLEY,  
Co. Pres. A. S. of E.

## CLEANING OUT LITTLE RIVER

City Authorities Take Energetic Steps to Remove Stagnant Pools.

MUCH IMPROVEMENT.

Drainage Greatly Helped by a Force of Hands This Week.

The condition of Little River became unbearable last week by reason of filth of various kinds being conducted into it in the northern part of the city. A large sandbar of street washings has formed at the mouth of the large sewer on Second avenue and above that point the river is very sluggish and the current was almost imperceptible. Health Officer Woodard and Councilman Higgins were put in charge of the matter Tuesday morning and a large force of hands were put to work in the river removing obstructions and draining the stagnant pools. Much headway was made in a few hours and the work was still in progress yesterday and the situation has been greatly relieved. A rise in the river is anxiously awaited to give it a good flushing.

The recent ordinance removing sewerage from the stream after October will prevent the recurrence of the trouble if the cleaning is kept up until that time.

A great deal of street building material can be taken from the sandbar near the I. C. depot, if some way can be devised to get it up the steep banks.

## RESOLUTIONS

In Memory of J. P. Nuckolls Who Died Aug. 14, 1908.

The grim reaper, Death, has again invaded our ranks and taken from us our worthy and beloved brother, J. P. Nuckolls. Bro. Nuckolls was a man of many estimable traits of character, strong minded, but gentle and courteous in manners. He was ever ready to do a kindness for a friend or neighbor, was a skillful

## BARGAIN For Sale

I wish to AT ONCE dispose of the remains of the brick warehouse building that was occupied by R. M. Wooldridge & Co., and destroyed the night of the raid and situated on the L. & N. railroad opposite the depot.

If contemplating any building this is a rare chance to get good cheap material.

Act Quick if Interested.

W. T. COOPER & CO.

farmer, a thorough gentleman and christian. He was 63 years old and we trust was garnered like a ripe sheaf into the Paradise of God.

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Nuckolls his family has lost a loving husband, a kind and generous father, the Grange a useful member and the community a good neighbor and a kind friend.

Resolved that we tender to the bereaved family in their great sorrow our heartfelt and sincere sympathy.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased brother and a copy be recorded in our proceedings.

J. M. ADAMS,  
M. B. KING,  
J. W. FOARD.

McLEAN COLLEGE

Will Begin the Fall Session Next Week.

McLean College, formerly S. K. C., will open the fall session next week and every indication points to an unusually well attended session. Many repairs have been made during the vacation to add to the comfort and attractiveness of the dormitories. A new teacher, Miss Alexander, comes with high testimonials and has had experience in very large schools.

## SOLD AT AUCTION

Another Step in the Bankruptcy Proceedings.

The plant of the Hopkinsville Lumber Co., consisting principally of the planing mill and stave factory, was sold at 10 o'clock Monday to W. L. Cortelyou, who bid it in for R. H. De Treville. The lumber and other stocks on hand had previously been sold to other parties.

## SIX APPLICANTS

And Four of Them Successfully Passed Examination.

At the last examination of white applicants for certificates to teach in the county schools six took the examination. All the applicants were young ladies. Two were issued second-class certificates, two got third-class and two failed. There will be no more examinations this year.

## BARN BURNED.

Building Contained Five Acres of Tobacco.

Lafayette, Ky., Sept. 2.—Sam Bumpus, a farmer of near this place, lost a barn containing five acres of tobacco, by fire about noon today. The tobacco was being cured and the building caught in the roof. The loss is about \$900.

The Lafayette ball team defeated the St. Elmo nine yesterday in a game played at the latter place. The score was 6 to 4.

## Value of Insurance.

Fires originate in unexpected places and from unknown causes. Doubtless some one who reads this article will sustain the next loss. Are YOU insured and have you the best insurance your money can buy? The Giant Insurance Agency (Incorporated), settles their losses promptly and equitably and guarantees to sell their policies at as low rate as any company doing business. Office in First National Bank building. Both 'phones.

## Preached in Paducah.

Rev. H. D. Smith delivered a sermon at the First Christian church in Paducah last night. There was special music and a social hour followed the sermon.

## The Athenaeum.

The Athenaeum will meet to-night with the program made up of papers by Rev. H. D. Smith, S. Y. Trimble and T. C. Underwood.

The barn of Will Berry, Simpson

## Ladies Muslin Underwear.

Nice line of Skirts, Gowns, Chemise, Corset Covers and Drawers at Cut Prices

## New Goods,

New Percales, New Gingham and New Calicoes, New Carpets, New Rugs, Linoleum and Oil Cloth.

MATERIAL THE BEST AND PRICES THE LOWEST.

T. M. JONES,

Main Street.

Hopkinsville, Ky.

## BANK OF HOPKINSVILLE

CAPITAL . . . . \$100,000.00.  
SURPLUS . . . . 35,000.00.

With the largest combined capital and surplus of any bank in Christian county, supplied with modern burglar proof safe and vault, we are prepared to offer our depositors every protection for their money.

3 per cent interest on Time Certificates of Deposit.

HENRY C. CANT, President.

J. E. McPHERSON, Cashier.

H. L. McPHERSON, Assistant Cashier.

## CITY BANK

Capital, \$60,000.00  
Surplus, \$70,000.00

This Bank ranks among the first in the state of Kentucky in proportion of surplus to capital.

In Surplus there is Strength.

We invite your account as a safe depository for your funds. Deposit your valuable papers in our vault—safe from fire and burglars.

3 PER CENT. INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK

HOPKINSVILLE - KENTUCKY.

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

Only National Bank in This Community

Capital . . . . . \$75,000.00

Surplus . . . . . 25,000.00

Stockholders' Liability . . . . . 75,000.00

HAS A REGULAR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT  
Three Per Cent Interest Paid on Savings and Time Deposits

## PLANTERS BANK & TRUST CO.

CAPITAL . . . . . \$100,000.00.  
SURPLUS AND PROFITS \$18,000.00.

Thoroughly equipped for Banking and Trustee Business. Open an account and let us show you. Loans and Investments made. Acts as Adm'r, Exr. Trustee, Guardian, Agent, Receiver, etc. Buys and sells Real Estate, and Manages Property. Safe Fire and Burglar proof vaults.

3 Per Cent. Interest on Time Certificates.

## Increase Your Crops

By Using The Combined Fertilizers

Raw Bone and Guano mixture, Dissolved Bone with Potash and Bone Meal.

Drill Season is Nearly Here.

We Sell The Kentucky Wheat Drill

We have it in all sizes. The Kentucky Drill has a cone-shape bearing on disc. Guaranteed against wear or breakage for 5 years.

Paris Green and Paris Green Sprayers.

Come in and Examine Our Goods Before You Buy.

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HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.